

# Top 25 1926 Construction Standards Cited in 1999

	STANDARD	DESCRIPTION	TOT	SER	WIL	REP	OTH
1	1926.150(e)(2)	Fire alarm code & instructions not conspicuously posted	81	0	0	6	75
2	1926.21(b)(2)	No employee training in hazard recognition & control	67	62	0	0	5
3	1926.100(a)	Hard hats not worn where required	62	56	0	3	3
4	1926.451(e)(1)	Height of mobile scaffold >4 times min. base dimensions	55	40	0	5	10
5	1926.501(b)(1)	No fall protection system when working >6' above lower level	50	43	0	3	4
6	1926.150(e)(1)	No fire alarm system established	46	1	0	3	42
7	1926.404(f)(6)	Grounding	45	7	0	4	34
8	1926.652(a)(1)	No cave-in protection for employees in an excavation	43	37	1	3	2
9	1926.20(b)(1)	No safety/health program	42	36	0	0	6
10	1926.1052(c)(1)	No handrail/stair-rail on stairway with 4 or more risers	42	7	0	0	35
11	1926.150(c)(1)(i)	Fire extinguishers not provided	41	2	0	1	38
12	1926.503(b)(1)	No written certification of training for fall protection	41	25	0	0	16
13	1926.50(c)	No first aid availability	37	5	0	0	32
14	1926.451(g)(1)(vii)	No fall protection for employees on scaffolds	34	30	0	2	2
15	1926.451(b)(1)	Space between scaffold planks and/or uprights >1"	33	25	0	1	7
16	1926.451(c)(2)	Foundation for supported scaffold not adequate	33	22	0	2	9
17	1926.452(c)(2)	No cross braces on scaffold	33	22	0	5	6
18	1926.503(a)(1)	No training program for fall protection	32	24	0	0	8
19	1926.651(c)(2)	Inadequate means of egress from trench excavation	29	25	0	1	3
20	1926.1053(b)(1)	Ladder extension over upper landing <3'	29	25	0	0	4

21	1926.150(c)(1)(iv)	<1 fire extinguisher located on each floor of building	27	0	0	0	27
22	1926.405(g)(2)(iv)	Cord grips - strain relief	27	1	0	1	25
23	1926.416(e)(1)	Worn or frayed electric cords in use	26	1	0	1	24
24	1926.701(b)	Protruding reinforced steel not guarded	25	19	0	1	5
25	1926.20(b)(2)	No regular inspection of jobsite provision in safety & health program	22	21	0	0	1

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